

Letter From Col. D. M. Hocker.

(To the Editor of the Interior Journal.)

PARIS, TEXAS, Dec. 30, 1889.—To say that the weather is pleasant is putting it mildly. It is glorious. Our sky rivals that of Italy. We had some frosts in November, but they were so light that they were scarcely sufficient to defoliate the deciduous trees. Vegetation of all kinds is springing forth. Turnips have run to seed and are in bloom. The Chickasaw plum and the peach are blossoming and we fear the consequences upon our fruit crop next spring. Market gardeners are offering lettuce, onions and other vegetables for sale. The cause of this mild weather, from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, is said by meteorologists to be owing to a deflection of the Gulf Stream. The thermometer reaches 70 to 80 in the shade.

I notice that some of your correspondents are kicking a little because you hinted to them, very gently, that they were tardy in sending in their articles. Would it not be well to remind them that perhaps there was more truth than poetry in what one of their own poets, Dr. O. H. P. Goode, of the Rolling Fork, said many years ago, to wit:

"The hog, the horse, the ox,
The 'possum, coon and fox,
The mule both tall and stout,
Is all they care about."

I called upon the manager of the Compress this morning and learned from him that 42,201 bales of cotton had been compressed to date. The number of bales from wagons sold here to date is about 23,000, which at \$50 per bale—\$1,150,000—a snug little sum for the planters hereabouts.

As a faithful journalist, you are obliged to say many things that are doubtless unpleasant to you. For instance, you spoke of the streets of Stanford being "muddy, dirty and dark." Now I was sorry to hear that. I notice that the city council at Danville had ordered 20 additional gas lamps to be erected on some streets. That is well, but our city council ordered 100 additional gas lamps to be erected in the more remote streets from the business centre—the latter being already well lighted with gas and electricity. This is not said boastfully, but only to show what may be done where there is a will. The paving of S. Main street to the T. & P. depot has been completed sometime and that on Bonham street to the Union Depot nearly completed, giving us something over two miles of paved streets. They furnish delightful drives.

Our Federal Court adjourned, after a term of six weeks. The grand jury was in session 35 days and brought in 270 bills of indictment. Of the 214 jury cases there were 211 convictions, besides a large number that pleaded guilty. During the court there were over 1,300 witnesses for the government registered in the marshal's office. These and defendants and witnesses for defendants, attorneys, officers of the court, etc., formed an immense crowd during the entire term of the court. This article is a medley, but some people like medleys.

D. M. HOCKER.

HIGHLAND.—Sister Lane, the Methodist evangelist, is conducting a revival at this place. She preaches with spirit and much good is being accomplished, praise God. Miss Lena Young, a beautiful young lady of 17, gave the old folks a surprise by boarding the train at 4 A. M. Monday morning, when they were made one. They have the best wishes of the entire community. Mr. P. J. Padgett and Miss Sarah C. Perkins, of Wayneburg, made a gentle rap at Rev. J. M. Cook's door New Year's morning, asking him to unite them in the holy bonds of matrimony. They are a handsome couple, and we heartily congratulate them. They were accompanied by Mr. Mont Howard and Miss Susie Gooch, of Wayneburg, also. Mr. Killis Crutchfield and wife gave a dining a few days since, and while all were engaged in partaking of the dinner, fire in another part of the house was doing its work and in a very few minutes the entire building and nearly everything in it were entirely consumed. Very disgraceful scenes occurred at a base ball game here the other day. Drinking, fighting and profanity were the order of the day and God's laws were trampled under foot with impunity. We are for peace and will have it if we have to call on the authorities.

Bogg's Cherry Cough Syrup

Is giving splendid satisfaction to the trade, and the sales are positively marvelous, which can be accounted for in no other way, except that it is without doubt the best on the market. Ask for and be sure you get the genuine. We keep it. A. R. Penny, Drugist.

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He paid thirty-one dollars doctor's bill for his wife in one year and one bottle of Bradford's Female Regulator did her more good than all the medicine she had taken before. H. Dale, drugist, Carmi, Ill. Write Bradford Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga., for particulars. Sold by Drugist A. R. Penny, Stanford.

A Duty to Yourself.

It is surprising that people will use a common, ordinary pill when they can secure a valuable English one for the same money. Dr. Acker's English pills are a positive cure for sick headache and liver troubles. They are small, sweet, easily taken and do not gripe. For sale by A. R. Penny.

LEGISLATIVE DOINGS.

—The rads in the legislature will vote for A. H. Steward, of Floyd, for U. S. Senator.

—A bill has been presented to require all executions to take place in the penitentiary.

—The House has passed Mr. Warren's bill to resubmit the prohibition question in this county.

—Senator R. J. Breckinridge is on the committees of charitable institutions, federal relations, railroads and rules.

—The legislature adjourned Saturday after adopting memorial resolutions over the death of Senator Martin, of Harrison.

—A bill to make the selling of cigarettes to persons under 16, punishable by fine of from \$5 to \$25 has been introduced and ought to pass.

—Acting upon the suggestion of the governor that Judge Jackson's court needs investigation, Senator Glenn asked for a committee of five to make it.

—After a virtuous spasm by several "record makers" the members voted themselves two daily papers each during the session to be paid for by the State.

—A joint resolution has been introduced in the Senate providing for the appointment of a committee of five to investigate the condition of local affairs in Perry and Harlan counties.

—Speaker Myers did handsomely by his late opponents, giving Cox the chairmanship of the judiciary, Settle of land titles, Richardson of Banks, and gave each of them a place on rules.

—Mr. Stephenson, of Mercer, has presented a bill to repeal that portion of the Hewitt revenue law which makes a man pay taxes on his debts, the principal objection to that has been raised against the bill.

—B. R. Walker, of Hickman, is the only legislator who has returned the passes the railroads sent him, as far as heard from. He says the State pays him 15 cents a mile to travel on and that is enough for him.

—J. W. Langley, of Floyd, the man who was sued in the U. S. court for defaming the character of a female school teacher from Tennessee, was nominated 11 to 7 over Col. Silas Adams for the gaudy honor of being voted for by the handful of republicans for Speaker.

—The pay of the members and employees in the legislature is about \$900 a day. The legislative day averages about four hours. The session therefore costs \$225 an hour, or nearly \$4 a minute. It costs something to wrangle for even 15 minutes, over some trifling point.—Lou. Times.

—John H. Welch, of Jessamine, is chairman of the railroad committee, J. H. Rudy, of revenue and taxation, S. H. Shouse of agriculture and manufactures, W. B. Smith, constitutional convention, J. M. Frazier, ways and means, E. D. Briscoe, internal improvements, G. B. Kincaid, circuit courts and W. W. Stephenson, codes of practice.

—Hon. R. C. Warren was given the chairmanship of the committee on criminal laws, a most important one, and a place on Agricultural and Mechanical College and general statutes. Hon. J. L. Bruce is chairman of the printing committee and on corporate institutions and charitable institutions. Hon. R. H. Tomlinson chairman of claims and on railroads and general statutes.

—Following are a few of the many candidates for librarian: Miss Carrico, of Owensboro; Miss Finley and Mrs. Thompson, Paducah; Miss Bartlett, Trimble county; Mrs. Fish, Nicholasville; Miss Taylor, Louisville; and Mrs. Day, Frankfort; besides two ungallant men, E. Porter Thompson and Walter Peters. All the same Thompson ought to have it. He has made the best librarian the State has ever had.

—National banks paid taxes to the State last year to the amount of \$105,809.44 and State banks \$98,687.24.

—Maj. Al McGowin, of Mayfield, died at Frankfort from the effects of the fall he suffered while walking in his sleep.

—It is stated that it cost Naidringhaus, president of an extensive rolling mill at St. Louis, \$75,000 to secure his seat in Congress.

—A family moving from Ohio to Row, an county, this State, was increased a couple by the wife giving birth to a "pair of twins," the interesting event occurring in a jolt wagon.

—Internal Revenue Commissioner Mason favors an extension of the bonded period of distilled spirits and thinks that Congress will pass a bill for that purpose at its present session.

—One of the greatest snow blockades said to have ever existed on the Sierra Nevada mountains has been raised by the snow shovels belonging to the railroads. An avalanche occurred burying many people, eight of whom have not been recovered.

—Maj. Jones, attorney for the Cincinnati, Alabama & Atlantic, states that the money has been raised in New York for building the line, which is to run from Huntsville, Ala., tapping the Cincinnati Southern and ultimately connecting with the Kentucky Central.

HUSTONVILLE.

—Miss Jennie McKinney gave one of the most elegant parties that has occurred here lately. There were a number of strangers present and a supper of the most appetizing sort was enjoyed.

—Miss Kirk, daughter of the Baptist minister, was buried here Friday. She was said to have been one of the purest, best christian young ladies that any one ever met. She was baptized when 12 years of age and had lived a consistent member of the church ever since. She died of consumption, aged 19 years.

—The New Year of 1890 has brought about its new plans and changes. Our town now claims Mr. E. P. Owsley, a prominent business man of your city. The family of Mr. Owsley occupy rooms at Mrs. Bogie's. They will take their meals with Mrs. Spillman Carpenter, who is now prepared to furnish meals to those desiring board, and everybody knows what good things can be had to eat with this lady.

—I suppose most every one knows John Riffe. Well, he went to Lebanon a few days ago and John didn't know that Lebanon owned anything as large as water-works. The workmen had been repairing some of the pipes and there was about 5 feet of the pipe exposed. When John happened to see this, he instantly seized his friend, Will Weatherford, and exclaimed with an oath: "Will look at that blacksnake." Will said he explained to the best of his ability. John wants another certificate.

—Mrs. J. D. Carpenter is entertaining the Misses Mahan, of Danville, also Miss Batterton and Miss Bessie Moore, of the same place. Mrs. J. W. Weatherford and son, accompanied by Mr. June Reid, left for Alabama Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Beecher Adams. Misses Dollie Cabell and Julia Stagz have returned from a protracted trip to Lebanon. Miss Lulu Goode, niece of Mr. John Goode, who has been with us for the past six months, left for her future home in Tusco, Ill. Miss Lulu endeared herself to many people here and her absence is one of regret. Is this right, Beecher? Mr. Will Weatherford, of Texas, has entered school in Lexington.

HURBLE.—Nothing new going on, only the air is perfumed with the odor of spoil meat. Our settlement is having the mad fever worse than ever now and quite a number of colored boys leave for there to-day. James B. and Jacob Robinson, H. J. Luce and others started Monday for Middlesboro. S. Hubble, J. C. Eubanks and L. Hutchings started South with mules Thursday morning. C. C. Sinks has rented Miss Fannie Gilvin's farm. A. P. Brackett has moved from this settlement to Sam Baughman's. Mad dogs are common in this vicinity. Miss Lou Bright is on the invalid list. Miss Liza Smith, of Lancaster, gave us a pleasant call last week. Miss Mary Adams, of Hustonville, is visiting relatives here. Party at Mr. E. A. White's Saturday night was well attended and enjoyed by all. Cicero Eubanks left Monday for Cincinnati to attend the medical school. C. R. Harris sold John Woods some fat hogs for 3 cents. Will Stone got his hand torn by his saw in attempting to remove the dust from the pet. Joel Walker is attending the court on a summons at Frankfort this week. William Swope and wife are at home from their bridal trip looking but little worsted. The people unanimously join in wishing them a happy life. Mr. Moore has moved to the Owsley farm and all appreciate him as a neighbor. More houses are empty for rent this season here than have been for years. The turkey shooting here some days ago was not a success to the party having it, but was to Dave Pruitt and Sam Engelman as they carried off about all the turkeys.

DEATHS' DOINGS.

—Cleaveland, the 5-year-old son of C. Vanoy, died Saturday of croup and was buried Sunday morning at McCormack's church.

—Col. Thomas W. Miller received a dispatch Sunday that his niece, Mrs. S. J. Embry, of Silver Creek, had died the night before of consumption. She was a daughter of Col. Miller's oldest sister, Mrs. Hume, and was 61 years of age.

—There were 57 interments in the Danville cemetery and 17 people, whose ages ranged from 73 to 82, died in Boyle county during the year '89. News of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Pawling, at Greenville, has been received.—Advocate.

—Henry Blankenship, a worthy young man of the Preachersville neighborhood, died suddenly Saturday. He had been suffering some five or six hours with a slight sick stomach, when he was seized with an epileptic fit and died in 15 minutes. His remains were interred in the family burying ground Sunday.

EVERY ISSUE GOOD.—The INTERIOR JOURNAL is one of the papers which does not believe in failing to issue a paper at Christmas. The JOURNAL has not missed an issue in 15 years—and every issue was a good one at that. There is no reason why readers should be denied a Christmas number.—Covington Commonwealth.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—Two Italians have rented the rooms vacated by A. Schilling and will open a bakery, fruit store, &c.

—Cronley Ready, an escaped patient from the Lexington Lunatic Asylum, was arrested here last week and taken back to the Asylum by Jailer Rothwell.

—Wm. Marksbury, who sold his stock of goods to Robert Brown, has bought the stock of Fred Kemper at Pleasant Grove, where he will continue in general merchandising in the store room of Samuel Johnson.

—"Uncle Whitt" (W. H.) Campbell, father of our democratic candidate for school superintendent, died at his home in lower Garrard last week. His remains were buried at Mt. Olivet, after funeral services by Rev. Mr. Cook.

—Mr. T. Currey has contracted with the Lancaster Mill & Elevator Co. to manage its affairs. Mr. Brown, who is one of the largest stockholders, will go to Corbin and open a provision store, where will dispose of large quantities of the mill's products.

—Editor Hughes is very profuse in his thanks through the columns of his last issue to W. O. Sweeney for a No. 73 covering for his head, but he fails to give any evidence of appreciation of the No. 14 boots donated to him on the same day by John Brewer, an equal friend. John says he ought to be just as grateful for the covering of the lower extremity as the upper, and more so, considering quantity.

—Bub Farris has accepted a position with an engineering corps under L. D. Hollingsworth, son-in-law of Dr. Huffman. Mr. Farris started for Clarksdale, Miss., Friday morning on a telegram from Mr. H. We regret very much to part with Bub, but wish him abundant success in his new undertaking. William, son of Superintendent Bettis occupies the stool behind the counter in Miller's Hotel.

—Dr. T. J. Hood has moved his dental office into the rooms over R. H. Batson's store. Dr. Walter has changed his office to rooms over store room of J. G. Sweeney. T. W. Olds has moved his undertaking establishment over the grocery of Ballou & Gaines, where he will keep in connection with same a large stock of furniture. W. O. Rigney has moved his undertaking, sample and trimming rooms to the rooms over Shear's tailor shop.

—County Attorney Brown has gone to Nicholasville to engage in a criminal trial there. Wm. Hughes has moved into the property of Robert Hamilton on Danville street, and Mr. Hamilton will take charge of the toll gate on same road. R. C. Farris has moved into the Irvine property beyond the toll gate on the Danville pike. Mrs. Mary Woodcock and son, William, returned home Monday evening. They will find many sorrowing hearts here, whose grief for a lost friend and fellow citizen can only be allayed by the hand of time.

—Hon. R. H. Tomlinson's residence was destroyed by fire Friday evening. The family were just preparing for supper about 5 o'clock, when a neighbor gave the alarm, at which time the whole top of the building was wrapped in flames. Mr. Tomlinson was in Frankfort at the time, but came home upon a summons by wire early Saturday morning. The loss sustained will reach about \$2,500, with \$1,500 insurance in the Royal. Most of the furniture was lost and all the wearing apparel, except what was in immediate use. The piano, much damaged, was tumbled out. The fire company by hard work saved all out-buildings and other residences, some being so near as to cause considerable alarm for their safety.

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—The Democrat says 166 couples were married in Mercer in 1889.

—Miss Nellie Muir, of Louisville, a niece of Mrs. S. S. McRoberts, will marry Mr. Allen Hall Smith on the 19th.

—A baby at Wellsville, O., sucked the rubber nipple of a nursing bottle down its throat and was choked to death. Two hundred million dollars in gold will be transferred from the sub-treasury at San Francisco to New York.

A Child Killed.

Another child killed by the use of opates given in the form of soothing syrup. Why mothers give their children such deadly poison is surprising when they can relieve the child of its peculiar troubles by using Dr. Acker's Baby Soother. It contains no opium or morphine. Sold by A. R. Penny.

Is Life Worth Living?

Not if you go through the world a dyspeptic. Dr. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are a positive cure for the worst forms of dyspepsia, indigestion, flatulency and constipation. Guaranteed and sold by A. R. Penny.

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Is the complaint of thousands suffering from asthma, consumption, coughs, etc. Did you ever try Dr. Acker's English Remedy? It is the best preparation known for all lung troubles. Sold on a positive guarantee at 25c and 50c by A. R. Penny.

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Guarantee Dr. Acker's Blood Elixir, for it has been fully demonstrated to the people of this country that it is superior to all other preparations for blood diseases. It is a positive cure for syphilis, poisoning, ulcers, eruptions and pimples. It purifies the whole system and thoroughly builds up the constitution. A. R. Penny.

NOTICE.

Having sold my stock of groceries, to be invoiced Dec. 26th, I offer for sale privately my

Lot Containing 1¹/₁₀ Acres

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M. F. Brinkley

Is a Candidate or Clerk of the Court of Appeals, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election August, 1890.

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Hustonville will be held at their banking house in Hustonville on the second Tuesday in January, 1890, for the purpose of electing nine directors to serve the ensuing year. J. W. HOCKER, Cashier.

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank will be held at their banking house in Stanford on the second Tuesday in January, 1890, for the purpose of electing eleven directors to serve the ensuing year. JOHN J. McROBERTS, Cashier.

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Lincoln National Bank will be held at their banking house in Stanford on the second Tuesday in January, 1890, for the purpose of electing eleven directors to serve the ensuing year. J. B. OWSLEY, Cashier.

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STANFORD, KY., JANUARY 7, 1890

W. P. WALTON.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For County Judge, THOMAS W. VARNON
 " County Attorney, JOSEPH B. PAXTON;
 " County Clerk, GEORGE B. COOPER;
 " Sheriff, J. N. MENEFEE;
 " Jailor, SAMUEL M. OWENS;
 " Assessor, E. D. KENNEDY;
 " Sup't of Common Schools, W. F. MCCLARY;
 " Surveyor, HARRY A. EVANS;
 " Coroner, ARCH CARSON.

Gov. BUCKNER in his admirable message calls attention in vigorous language to the great increase in the cost of juries last year. The increase is principally in the mountain counties, where less justice is dispensed and at a greater cost than anywhere, though some of the other districts are not excepted from the just complaint of a needless expenditure. Fortunately Judge Morrow, of this district, is relieved of censure in this regard, for the auditor's report shows that he reduced the cost of juries from \$11,074.04 in 1886 and '87 and \$12,626.03 in '87 and '88 to \$10,385.22 in '88 and '89, a saving of \$688.82 over the former and \$2,240.81 over the latter years. We have taken occasion to observe Judge Morrow's methods and have nearly always noticed that he discharges the jurors the days of his courts he will have no need for their services and puts the other jury off when he goes into a case that will occupy a day or two.

SENATOR BLACKBURN was nominated by the democratic caucus to succeed himself, Judge Wm. Lindsey making the nominating speech in his usual happy vein. The Senator then delivered a speech of thanks, eloquent and pathetic, and what took a month to do four years ago was accomplished in less than an hour. Judge Breckinridge did himself proud in a brief but pointed speech nominating Col. E. Polk Johnson to succeed himself as public printer and that nomination like the other was made unanimous. Col. Johnson's speech was of the serio-comic class, so characteristic of the noble fellow, and then the caucus adjourned till next Thursday, when an attempt will be made to select a candidate for librarian out of a score of men and women offering for that soft snap.

The Christian Women's Exchange, with headquarters in New Orleans, is endeavoring to raise funds to build a monument to the memory of Jefferson Davis and solicit contributions, no matter how small, for that purpose. Mrs. P. N. Strong, treasurer, will receive and acknowledge all offerings by publishing a list weekly. The appeal closes as follows: Come forward Southern women with one accord and without delay, and pay such a tribute to the memory of him who was the soul of chivalry and honor, as shall prove you worthy of the esteem in which he ever held you; the bravest, truest women the world ever knew.

JOHN YOUNG BROWN's boom for gov. ernor is being pricked considerably by the newspapers and politicians, which hold him responsible for the defeat of Cox for Speaker. Brown may be a considerable man in his section, but we take it that he does not carry it in the hollow of his hand and was therefore unable to dictate to the members of the legislature for whom they should vote. We are not a Brown man to any considerable extent, but we think the old man ought to be given a chance for fair play's sake, if nothing else.

It is said of Virginia's new executive, Gov. McKinney, that he has never used profane language, never smoked and has never consumed more than half a gallon of whisky. If this be so he may have enjoyed the happiness which virtue is supposed to bring, but he hasn't had much fun while perambulating the path of life.

DURING 1889 there were 23 murders committed in Cincinnati, and yet when a man is killed in Kentucky, her virtuous newspapers hold up their hands in holy horror and make a great ado over another murder on the dark and bloody ground, as if nothing of the kind had ever occurred in that city of sin.

The auditor's agents seem to be a pretty expensive luxury, which the legislature might do well to look into and dispense with. Last year they were paid \$15,432.87 and the total amount of their collections was but \$16,369.15.

KANSAS must be the rottenest borough this side of the Plutonian regions. Its legislators are not only openly charged with accepting bribes, but they are being indicted right and left for the offense.

The chances for Calvin Brice to become Senator of Ohio are very rosy. There are candidates by the score, but it is said that he will likely "get there" on the first ballot.

The Owensboro Messenger celebrated its 14th birthday by issuing a 16-page edition, which was a credit both to the editorial and business capacity of that remarkable paper.

The Jamaica ginger habit is on the increase, especially in prohibition towns, and is called the Jam-Gin. It is said that its effects are almost as bad as cocaine and morphine.

There seems to be no doubt now of the appointment of our relative, Dr. Claiborne J. Walton, of Hart, to the pension agency at Louisville, if in fact the appointment has not already been made. The Louisville Times tells the kind of a man he is thus: "If Dr. Walton should succeed in his ambition it would leave no heart-burning, for there is not a kinder, gentler, nobler man in the Green River section, and that means that he is just as good a man—politics barred—as wearshoe leather. If Gen. Buell must go, he could not be succeeded by a better man."

The last democrat has been fired from Surveyor Collier's office, which is now manned entirely by the faithful. Swope, the last man to go, was presented with a gold watch and chain by the force for teaching them how to run the business.

CRIMINAL prosecutions cost the State \$221,000.58, in 1889, for which she got very little of the value received. Some of the judges try to see how much they can make their courts cost, instead of reducing the expense to the minimum.

NEWS CONDENSED

—The public debt decreased \$3,128,093.39 last month.

—Mrs. Mary Smith, who weighed 700 pounds, is dead at New York.

—A pauper school building caught fire in London and 26 children were burned.

—An ordinance prohibiting the sale of cigarettes in Frankfort is now being enforced.

—A Missouri girl on being chided by her father for chewing gum, went off and killed herself.

—There is not an ice producing river in Maine that is not as open and free as in summer.

—Clark Howell succeeds Henry W. Grady as managing editor of the Atlanta Constitution.

—By the fall of a trestle near Birmingham two workmen were killed and 20 badly injured.

—In 48 hours 7 Chicagoans lost their lives at railroad crossings and in 1889 260 lives were thus sacrificed.

—Finley is betting on Dr. Walton for pension agent and said the appointment would be made yesterday.

—Otto Lenth, the 17-year-old boy who murdered a little girl at Cleveland, O., has been sentenced to hang April 26.

—After 47 years of labor Mrs. S. Lizzie Weaver, a Bridgeton, N. Y., woman, has just finished a crazy quilt of 30,075 patches.

—Calvin Morris, hung at Houma, La., Friday, acknowledged that he had forfeited his life and said he was willing to pay it.

—All the republican legislators, and their name is not legion by a good deal, signed Judge Boreing's petition for pension agent.

—Nearly thirty-six thousands of millions of dollars worth of checks passed through the New York Clearing-house in the year 1889.

—Pneumonia is counting its daily deaths by the thousands in the East. New York City had over 300 fatal cases in three days.

—The saloon keepers of South Dakota have announced that they will run wide open, regardless of the prohibitory clause in the constitution.

—Gov. Buckner states the amount of the Tate defalcation at \$274,094, but sales of his property and other credits have reduced it to \$150,000.

—Robert Manning, a brakeman, was found dead on top of his train, having had his skull crushed by huge bridge timbers, on the Short Line.

—John Fitzgerald threw a rock at Bill Kincaid in a crowded dancing-room near Mt. Sterling and was immediately shot dead by some person unknown.

—It is announced that T. B. Rippe has sold his distillery in Anderson to an English syndicate for \$500,000 and he is to manage it five years at \$8,000 a year.

—The veteran Congressman, Judge Kelley, is said to be dangerously ill with cancer. He was born in 1814 and has been a member of the House for over 28 years.

—Col. S. P. Love, a well-known lawyer of Greenville, has been indicted for perjury in McLean county, which he committed in order to qualify himself as bondsman.

—During the year 1889 there were 11,719 failures in the United States, with liabilities of \$140,359,490 and assets of \$70,509,769. The number is the largest for five years.

—Burglars chloroformed the occupants of a Dr. Kniffen's house at Trenton, N. J., from the effects of which Mrs. Kniffen died and a young lady was very seriously affected.

—Gen. Frank Wolford is said to be in a critical condition at his home in Columbia from an acute attack of rheumatism, and his old wounds are giving him renewed trouble.

—When Secretary Tracy found out that one of the employees of his department ferried Booth across the Potomac the night he assassinated Lincoln, he promptly fired him.

—Geo. P. Smith, a Boston man, blew out his brains because he was suffering from an attack of "grippe." Well, that was Horace Greeley's recipe for curing catarrh—"blow your d—n head off."

—The Department of Agriculture estimates that last year's crop of corn was 2,112,802,000 bushels, an average of 27 bushels to the acre. The wheat product is placed at 470,560,000 bushels and oats at 715,515,000.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Not a hoof of stock was sold on the street yesterday.

—Jake Robinson sold to Wm. Rue a harness mare for \$140.

—Beazley Bros. bought of Elijah Withers a brood mare for \$100.

—Eld. Jos. Ballou sold to Jesse Fox a pair of aged mules for \$240.

—Carter & Givens bought of J. W. Powell 21 cotton mules at \$100.

—Robert Langston sold his farm of 115 acres, one mile from Paris, at \$110.

—J. T. Hocker sold to C. M. Spoonamore his stallion, Ed Barlow, for \$275.

—James Martin bought in this county 13 head cotton mules at \$70 to \$85.

—Col. Cobb sold to W. M. Rue 26 yearling mules at \$100.—Richmond Register.

—The Lebanon Enterprise reports sales of 41 cotton mules at \$112.50 to \$116.50.

—The 244 acres of Cook land, lying on Dix River, advertised in last issue, was sold yesterday to J. V. Cook at \$13.

—Johnson, of Boyle, bought of Joe Coffey, 22 head of 2 and 3-year-old cattle at 2 cents and of J. C. Tucker 12 at same price.

—Mack Hughes, of Danville, bought of A. T. Nunnally a bay mare for \$125. He sold to L. H. Hudson, of Danville, 3 roadsters for \$540.

—T. M. Parrish sold to Carithers & Beard 42 two-year-old mules at \$125. J. L. Cogar bought 800 acres of hemp at \$5.10 per cwt.—Midway Clipper.

—The Bowling Green Democrat says the mule market is getting brisk there. A number of sales are mentioned, including 24 head 15½ hands at \$135.

—The yearly manufacture of flour in the United States is about 75,000,000 barrels, of which 62,000,000 are required for domestic consumption and 10,000,000 to 13,000,000 barrels for export.

—H. F. Hillenmeyer, the scientific horticulturist and pomologist of Lexington, says: "The peach buds are swollen considerably, but I think they can stand a freeze down to about 12 below zero, provided they do not get thoroughly soaked with rain and then freeze, which would kill them. I believe they can stand a dry freeze as wet as six below."

DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—The McGibeny Family will give their musical entertainment at the Opera House Wednesday night, 8th.

—After spending the holidays at home with the old folks, all the College boys have returned and resumed their studies at school.

—J. Sumner Roberts is now on a trip to Big Stone Gap. He has gone to invest in real estate at that place. He bought some lots in Middlesboro and has been offered a nice profit on them.

—John L. Smith, who has been in the dry goods business here for sometime, has closed his stock of goods out and quit business. The Singer Machine Company will move into the house vacated by him.

—There is scarcely a family in town that has not some member in it sick. Most of the complaint is supposed to be the new disease, la grippe. Two families have each a case of scarlet fever in light form.

—Pleasant Cowles, of Louisville, was here during the week, looking at some of the best farms in the county. He wants to locate here and engage in farming. He is at present a dealer in leaf tobacco in Louisville.

—One of our prominent business houses announced that they would adopt the cash system at the first of the year and displayed signs to that effect, but after trying it for two or three days they concluded it would not work and have torn down their card with the inscription, "Terms strictly cash."

—The Methodist church at this place have already raised by contribution about \$9,000 to go towards the erection of a new church. No attempt will be made to build till \$10,000 is subscribed, which no doubt will be reached soon. It is the aim of the church to build one of the finest houses of worship in the city. It will be built on the most modern style and a house the church will be proud of. The first Methodist church was organized here 100 years ago. The present building was erected in 1835.

Now that the supposed Cronin murderers have received a life sentence, they can, if guilty, confess the crime, in all its details, and still be in no danger of being hanged.

If you would digest your rich dinners well during these holidays, be cheerful and jolly. From the mind to the brain, from the brain to the stomach passes the nervous stimulus that digests your food. If you are sour and blue in mind, or angry, this mysterious stimulus is shriveled at its source and dies. Your food lies like a flatiron upon your stomach. So, be jolly, and if you can't be jolly, be as jolly as you can.

Society owes thanks to Mrs. Harrison for her thoughtful consideration of its interests. It cannot be agreeable to her to mingle in a gay social life so soon after the death of her sister, yet she will not on that account cast a gloom over the social atmosphere of the capital, as would surely be the case if she shut herself up for a period of conventional mourning. Therefore she announces that the receptions at the White House will take place as usual this winter, and she will do her part in the social world.

CREAT

SACRIFICE SALE.

The mild Winter has caught us with an immense stock of

Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Carpets, Matting, &c.

These goods must be sold at once, no matter what the loss, and we will place our entire stock at your disposal, for prices never before quoted on such a stock.

The Greatest Reductions of OVERCOATS on Record.

Boys' Overcoats \$1.25, worth \$2.50; \$2, worth \$3; \$2.50, worth \$4; \$3, worth \$5; Men's Overcoats \$4, worth \$5; Men's good Beaver Overcoats \$5 worth \$8; Men's good Chinchilla Overcoats \$4.50, worth \$7.50; Men's all wool Chinchilla Overcoats \$7.50, worth \$10; Men's satin-lined Chinchilla Overcoats \$8, worth \$15, and all better grades of Overcoats sold correspondingly low.

It is wise economy to buy now for present or next season anything you want in the way of Winter Cloaks, as they will be sold at half their value at

THE LOUISVILLE STORE

Main Street, Stanford,

M. SALINGER, MANAGER.

NOTICE!

Having purchased the interest of Mr. Stagg, I will conduct the business at the old stand, where I shall be pleased to supply the wants of all former and new patrons from a

Full Stock of Drugs

Paints, Oils, School Books, Wall Paper, Jewelry and Silverware at low prices, for first-class goods. I have a good Jeweler, ready to do watch and jewelry repairs in the best workman-like style. Very respectfully,

W. B. McROBERTS.

JONES BROS.,

The only Store in Stanford that suits the Farmer;

General Merchandise,

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Fancy Groceries, Queensware, Glassware, Tinware, Wooden and Willowware, &c.

Full Stock of Holiday Goods.

Go there (at the corner of Main Street) Next door to Portman House.

H. C. RUPLEY,

Merchant Tailor,

Is Receiving His

FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

Goods Warranted and a Perfect Fit Guaranteed. Give him a call.

NEW FURNITURE STORE!

MAK HUFFMAN, PROP.



Will keep constantly on hand a large and select line of Furniture and Undertaker's Goods. My prices will be as low as such goods can be bought in the cities. Give me a trial and you will be convinced that I sell lower than the lowest.

BRYANT & STRATTON BUSINESS COLLEGE

Book Keeping, Short Hand, Telegraphy, &c. Write for Catalogue and full information. LOUISVILLE, KY.

FOR SALE!

A Brick House and Lot,

On Somerset street, at present occupied by Mr. G. B. Cooper. A very desirable place and can be obtained at a bargain. Address or call on O. P. M. McROBERTS, Stanford, Ky.

NOTICE.

PROF. W. F. NILES

will open

A NORMAL SCHOOL,

At McKinney, Lincoln county, JAN. 20, 1890. At the following rates of tuition per month: Primary Department.....\$1.00 Intermediate Department.....1.50 Normal Department.....2.00 A liberal patronage is requested and thorough work guaranteed. For particulars, address, W. F. NILES, McKinney, Ky.

MEANS BUSINESS.

COME and settle your account. A. R. Penny.

WATCHES and jewelry repaired and warranted. A. R. Penny.

THE best place to buy drugs, patent medicines and toilet articles is at A. R. Penny's.

BUY your school books, ink, tablets, paper, pencils and school supplies of all kinds from A. R. Penny.

PERSONAL POINTS.

MRS. CRAIG LYNN is quite ill from neuralgia.

MRS. EDDIE COOLEY's school closed Friday, after a profitable session.

COL. W. G. WELCH and Mrs. E. T. Rochester went to Louisville yesterday.

MISS MAGGIE OWLEY has been selected organist at the Presbyterian church.

MR. AND MRS. A. URBANSKY, of Louisville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Salinger.

MR. AND MRS. S. P. STAGG have taken rooms at Mr. J. E. Farris', on Main street.

MISS DORA CALDWELL, of the College faculty, has returned from a visit to her sister at Murfreesboro, Tenn.

MR. H. C. FARRIS and family, of Junction City, have moved into the Owens property on Upper Main street.

MR. G. G. WINE has rented M. F. Elkin's house and lot on Danville street and will move his family thither.

DR. A. S. PRICE has his dental rooms over McRoberts' drug store, where he is prepared to serve the public at all hours.

DR. R. C. MORGAN will go to Mt. Vernon to day to spend the balance of the week practicing his profession of dentistry.

DR. R. M. OREAR and Messrs. Joe S. Moore and R. L. McKee were here Friday with a couple of mighty pretty blondes.

HON. R. C. WARREN was with his constituents yesterday. He had just gotten over an attack of the La Grippe and was not feeling well.

R. LEE DAVIS, our versatile Crab Orchard correspondent, is running Depot Agent O'Bryan's office at Rowland, while he is suffering from sore eyes.

TOM LANSLEY, who has been clerking in the postoffice at Hopkinsville, has been engaged as salesman by Mr. A. A. Warren. Albert Severance, who heretofore held the position, will take a similar one with Severance & Son.

MR. WOODFORD W. LONGMOOR, of Harrison, was here yesterday in the interest of his candidacy for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. He seems to be a very nice gentleman, and deserving of much consideration, as he lost a leg in the war and still suffers from wounds.

JUDGE M. J. DURHAM was here yesterday on legal business. He is taking things quietly, giving himself but little concern about either the governorship or the auditor's office, as he is confident the people will let it be known if they desire his services, in which event he is too good a democrat to refuse their demands.

CITY AND VICINITY.

PARTIES owing me accounts will please call and settle. I need the money. A. A. Warren.

ONE of us will be found at our old stand at all times so please call and settle your accounts as we must wind up our business here in a very short while. Owsley & Craig.

HUNDREDS of people stood out for hours in the drenching rain yesterday and listened to the chestnuts of a patent medicine man. Surely men, like babies, are pleased with a rattle and tickled with a straw.

THE House has passed the bill giving the people of Lincoln county the right to vote again on the prohibition question if they think proper. The Senate will follow suit with equal celerity and then the music will begin.

WHEN C. R. Allen was arrested at Junction City for peddling jewelry, he acted very uneasily and from certain remarks left the impression that he was guilty of the Cabler murder. He was lodged in jail at Danville.

IT seems that the family of Mr. H. F. Blankenship is drinking deeply of the bitter cup. The day before young Henry Blankenship died, his brother James had his leg broken by a kick from a mule while Mrs. Blankenship is in very feeble health.

AS MR. JOHN MENEFEER was hurrying out to the fire Sunday the horse he was riding fell while turning the corner of Main and Somerset streets and precipitated that gentleman to the ground in a rude manner. It was a miracle that he escaped unhurt.

CANDY PULLING.—Misses Betsy Pennington and Florence Trueheart, directors of the "Young Gleaners" gave that band, some 35 in number, a delightful candy pulling Saturday afternoon at the home of the former. It was a pleasant occasion to all and strong vows were made to do more than ever for the Lord in the year just begun.

READ Mark Hardin's ad.

COLUMBUS buggy and several chairs for sale by T. R. Walton.

THEIR FIRST.—Mr. S. L. Powers, writes to a Manager J. D. Swain from Columbus, Ohio, that a 9-pound girl blessed their union on the 2d.

THE law firm of Miller & Owsley seems to be prospering. A new safe has been added to the office outfit to hold the money that is rolling in.

THE cold wave flag was flying again yesterday, but somehow confidence has been slightly strained with reference to Gen. Greely's predictions.

FOR the sixth time this season the cold wave prediction failed to materialize. A warm rain came instead and yesterday was a very wet and muddy day.

NEWS comes from Buffalo, Wyoming, that a boy has come to bless the union of Hon. and Mrs. T. P. Hill, Jr., and that he has been named Chrisman Sauley, in honor of Judge Saxe.

THE passenger train due here at 3:27 Friday morning did not arrive till noon, owing to a collision on the E. T. V. & G., with a freight. Both engines were smashed and three trainmen seriously hurt.

BEGINNING with the new year, Gen. Greely sends his weather predictions to this office for the 24 hours from 8 in the morning. Heretofore we have been getting the predictions made at 8 p. m., after about half of the time covered had expired. The reports will reach here at 11 o'clock.

LONDON has been somewhat excited for a few nights over the possibility of the attempted rescue of Pole and John French, who are in jail there awaiting transfer to Virginia for murder alleged to have been committed 17 years ago. They are brothers of the noted leader of the French party in Perry county, whose desperate character induces the belief that he will attempt to rescue them. The crime for which they are held is the murder of an inoffensive negro boy, but they claim that they are not the men wanted.

TO THE PEN.—Deputy Sheriff Nolen and Eldridge, of Harlan, took Francis Pace, who had been in jail here safe keeping, to Frankfort Saturday, to serve a life sentence. Pace killed his first cousin without apparent cause and the general impression is that he should have been hung, although his attorneys reported to the Court of Appeals to reverse the sentence. That court affirmed the lower court's decision, however, and after a 10 month's sojourn in our jail he was taken to the home of the rest of his days.

THE Lincoln County Building & Savings Association declared a semi-annual dividend of a little over 4 per cent. The old board of directors was re-elected, which in turn re-elected the following officers: Col. W. G. Welch, president, John S. Hughes, vice-president, A. A. Warren, secretary, and W. M. Bright, Treasurer. Mayor E. H. Burnside, J. N. Menefee and A. A. Warren were retained as the finance committee. The institution is prosperous, but the fact that the shares are now worth \$35 makes it difficult for persons desiring to borrow money to buy them and additional legislation will be asked to enable a new series to be issued.

THE project to build a street car line from Stanford to Rowland has been revived and the prospect of its early construction is very flattering. Three men have taken \$2,500 of the \$4,500 it is estimated to cost, and others are ready to subscribe the remainder. Those who have given the matter serious thought figure that the enterprise will pay handsomely, besides be of incalculable benefit to Stanford in connecting her with the growing suburb and of great accommodation to the Rowland people. The only thing in the way now is the turnpike company with regard to the right of way, but as there would be no serious injury to it, if any, it is hoped and believed that it will urge no objection to permitting the use of its road by an enterprise that will benefit and accommodate so many people.

FIRE.—The old Menefee homestead on the Somerset pike burned down about 11 o'clock Sunday, together with all the outbuildings in the yard. It was the property of Mr. J. N. Menefee, whose loss is fully \$2,500, if not more. The house was occupied by Randall Dollins and family, all of whom were absent. A neighbor saw the flames issuing from a window and gave the alarm, but the isolated situation made assistance some time in arriving and so but little could be saved. Mr. Menefee had 250 bushels of wheat in one of the rooms, which he had sold to the Roller Mills at 70 cents and was to have delivered yesterday, all of which was burned besides as much shelled oats and many of his farming utensils. Mr. Dollins lost all his furniture, which was worth perhaps \$150. Mr. Menefee had been carrying an insurance on the property in the Home for several years, but it expired a week ago and there being no agent here to renew it, the matter slipped his mind and the loss is therefore complete. The neighbors came in as fast as they could and did everything in their power to save the property, for which Mr. Menefee asks us to return his heartfelt thanks.

A LENGTHY and flattering petition, signed by the people of Highland, irrespective of party, calling on Mr. W. H. Miller to become a candidate for member of Constitutional Convention, was lodged at this office yesterday and will appear in our next.

A. R. PENNY has decided to stop selling whisky on prescription, as he could not conscientiously do so in view of the fact that much of his sales were to those that he knew did not need it. He has therefore disposed of his stock to W. Q. Emerson, who will sell it to somebody else.

ALTHOUGH it is mid-winter time the weather continues as warm as spring and the blue-grass hills are as green as they often appear in May. Flowers and fruit trees are blooming and blossoming and yesterday Mr. George Benedict was exhibiting a clover sprig in full bloom. Did anybody ever?

THE pupils of Glen Elder school, Mrs. W. B. Hawkins, teacher, will give a dramatic entertainment at the new Methodist church, Moreland, Friday night, 10th, the proceeds to go towards furnishing the church. The programme is an entertaining one and as it is for a commendable object, it is hoped that the building will be crowded. Admission 25 cents.

THE new firm of S. P. Stagg and H. J. McRoberts will be known as Stagg & McRoberts, to prevent a conflict with a former firm name. The new firm starts out with a half column announcement of their aims and purposes and will continue to occupy that space during 1890 to tell our readers where they can get the best goods at the lowest prices. Call on them, S. E. corner Main and Lancaster, and they will do you right.

SUICIDE.—Squire J. H. Chappell tells us of a suicide which occurred near Ottenheim, Saturday. Stephen Cummings, who had passed the 50th mile post on the journey of life and ought to have been proof against the darts of cupid, swallowed morphine and became a cold and clammy corpse, because a damsel of the Kingsville neighborhood refused to listen to his tale of love. Poor fellow, he realized the truth of the lines:

'Tis sweet to love, but oh how bitter
To love a girl and then not get her.

IN the county court yesterday the will of Joseph Page was offered for probate but an objection being urged by H. S. Jones and wife the question was continued till Saturday. Weatherford & Cook were granted license to sell liquor on prescription at their drug store in Hustonville. In the afternoon the magistrates met with the court and heard numerous requests for new pikes. Capt. B. F. Powell asked for a pike from Denny's to McCormack Church and a committee composed of Squires Bailey, Neal and Ellis were appointed to investigate and report. On W. H. Miller's application for a committee to examine and report on the location of a pike from Stanford to a point beyond Rowland so as to avoid danger from the railroad, Squires Young, Chappell and Neal were appointed and Lynn, Brown and Gooch on a proposed pike from Kingsville to the Highland & Waynesburg turnpike. The discussion of the proposed road law was then begun, when D. W. Vandever, Font F. Bobbitt, Ed. Carter Tilford Alexander, J. N. Green and Greenberry Bright made vigorous protests against that and the Lawyer Davis-on law, after which the court adopted a resolution asking a repeal of the present law, rejecting the proposed law and turning the whole matter over to Representative Warren to secure the passage of the best road law practical.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—The Christian church, Mt. Sterling, had 78 additions last year and raised for all purposes \$4,815.49, says the Sentinel.

—Rev. John Bell Gibson fired this little shot Sunday morning, which caused a number of drowsy eyes to open and stay open. "I want the young people to notice especially what I am going to say, and some of the older people might awaken and listen with profit."

—Next Sunday the Christian churches all over the country will take up a collection for the Church Extension fund. This fund was started only a couple of years ago, and yet 50 churches have been built from it and many more are in prospect. Bro. Gibson asks that his congregation bring full pecked books next Sunday and make an offering that all will be proud of.

—The New York Sun has been figuring on the population of Heaven and the other place and finds that in the 6,000 years of the earth's existence there has been a total of 177,000,000,000 souls. Nobody believes that more than 10 per cent. of the professed Christians are saved. Calvinists themselves say that the elect are few. If this is a fact heaven contains but 1,800,000,000, against a population in hell of 175,000,000,000.

—The Courier-Journal notes the resumption of Bro. Barnes' letters in this paper, which it says are always interesting because the Reverend Barnes never says a dull thing no matter what subject he may be commenting on, and adds: It is suggestive to see the learned, the gentle, the thoughtful Barnes, whose life has been a struggle with poverty, doing homage at the shrine of the rude, sensational, thrifty Sam Jones, who has made the religious occupation as profitable as Ingersoll has made its denunciation.

—Elijah Beazley sold to Mack Hughes a 2-year-old stallion by Silver King for \$350 and Wm. Burton to same party a gelding for \$125.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. A. S. PRICE,
SURGEON DENTIST.
Office on Main street, over W. B. McRoberts' Drug Store, Stanford.

REMOVED!

I have removed my office to my residence, opposite Female College, where I will be found at all times.
HUGH REID.

BOARDERS WANTED.

I have rented the property of Mrs. Cath Bailey on Lancaster street and am now prepared to take boarders. Terms reasonable. Day boarders taken as cheap as anybody. Apply to
BEILE CARPENTER.

Wanted.

Capital to Build Houses to Rent.

A permanent investment for a few years, with ample security. Inquire at this office. 84-171

Notice!

All persons having claims against the estate of L. S. Withers, dec'd, will present them to me or my agent, properly proven, on or before January 1, 1890.
Mrs. JULIA A. WITHERS.
W. F. McCLARY, Agent.

For Sale!

Twenty Building Lots

In the corporate limits of Rowland.

H. J. DARST, Rowland.

BLUE-GRASS NURSERIES

A full stock of Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Grape Vines, Small Fruits, Asparagus, Shrubs, and everything for the orchard and garden. We employ no agents but sell direct at low prices to the planter. Personal inspection of our immense stock invited. Description catalogue with valuable suggestions on application.
H. F. HILLENMEYER,
Lexington, Ky.

For Rent!

The convenient and neat Residence now occupied by Mr. W. F. Ramsey, on upper Main street, Stanford. It is well located, has every convenience and is a most desirable home. Call on or address
R. G. GUYER,
or W. F. RAMSEY,
Stanford, Ky.

WANTED!

To Rent

A Small Engine and Boiler.

Fort-two or three in mths. Address, stating price and condition of machinery.
W. L. McCARTY, Kingsville, Ky.

FOR RENT.

House & Lot of Miss Mary Myers,

Now occupied by Mr. G. N. Bradley, is for rent for the year 1890. Possession given January 1st.
A. D. KOOT, Stanford, Ky.

—FOR—

SALE AT A SACRIFICE

I will sell the house known as the

Stroud Property at Crab Orchard,

For ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS cash.

The Cottage opposite the Railway Depot,

Formerly occupied by H. E. Miller, at the same place for EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS cash.

Same can be seen by applying to Mr. W. F. Kennedy, Crab Orchard.

J. OTTENHEIMER,
No. 30 State Street, New York.

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To canvass for the sale of Nursery Stock. Steady employment guaranteed. GOOD PAY for successful men. Apply at once, stating age. Mention this paper.

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A HOME MAGAZINE.

Every subject of interest to the home-maker is fully treated. Mary Marsden, Lois Catesby, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Davies, Miss Cabell, Miss Mosby, Alice Winston and a score of others will contribute regularly.

FAITH LATIMER

Is in charge of our Children's Department, and she has the peculiar faculty of being both interesting and instructive.

THE MYSTERY OF THE NATION

Is a thrilling story appearing in HOME AND FARM, by John R. Musick, and is exciting wide attention. Short stories by distinguished writers appear from time to time.

BILL ARP'S LETTERS

Appear in each issue, and this humorous philosopher was never more interesting than at this time.

IN ITS EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT

HOME AND FARM speaks boldly and fearlessly in behalf of "Farmers' Rights." It favors a revision of the tariff in behalf of the farmer; better roads for the farmer; Free Mail Delivery to the farmer; Co-operation among the farmers, and its aim is to "Bust Trusts." Its motto is

"Fair Trade and Farmers' Rights."

STAGG & McROBERTS

Successors to Bruce & McRoberts,

Desire to announce to the public that they are now ready for business at their new stand, recently vacated by Owsley & Craig, cor. Main and Lancaster streets, and ask a share of your patronage. They keep constantly on hand a full and complete stock of

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes,

—HATS, and a—

LARGE SUPPLY OF CLOTHING.

—THE—

Stock of Overcoats is Very Large,

And will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

STAGG & McROBERTS.

HIGGINS & M'KINNEY

Are headquarters for

Hardware, Groceries, Stoves, Salt, Lime, &c.

Plows! Plows! Plows! Buy the Oliver Chill or Hamilton Steel Plow and you will make no mistake. No plow is equal to those; no plow ever had the run that the Oliver has. Every plow warranted to do good work, or no sale. Ask your neighbor.

TO THE PUBLIC

Having purchased of Mr. T. R. Walton his stock of goods, including a well-selected supply of

Groceries and Hardware, Glass-, Tin- and Queensware,

I take this method of informing the people of Stanford and vicinity that I will continue the business at his old stand and ask a share of their patronage.

It is my intention to sell good goods at THE LOWEST LIVING PRICES and it will be my effort to please each and all who favor me with their trade. My present stock will be greatly enlarged in a few days, and I cordially invite an inspection of it. Goods delivered anywhere in town. Remember the place.

MARK HARDIN,

Cor. Main and Somerset streets, Stanford, Ky.

AT A. A. WARREN'S

"Model Grocery" you will find

Sugars, Coffees, Molasses, Beans, Hominy, Rice, Soaps, Canned Goods of every description, the best Cream Cheese, Preserves, Jellies, Pickles, Sauces, Baking Powders, Extracts, Cigars and Tobaccos.

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A. C. SINE. J. N. MENEFEER

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ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER,

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SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS!

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They Have Lived Long.

The Philadelphia press is taking the census of persons in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware who are beyond the age of 85. The number of such persons already discovered is surprising. It conveys the impression that the average of human life is lengthening rapidly.

Three per cent. of the old people have reached the full century mark. Forty per cent. are past 90, 57 per cent. past 85. The Press gives a page of portraits, and really these hundred years old people don't look a day over 80. Perhaps they would feel complimented to be told they appear easily twenty years younger than their real age. Most of them are of American parentage, a long way back. Most interesting are the points of similarity in their history, for from these we judge what is conducive to long life. First we find that 80 per cent. worked hard at physical labor all through youth and middle life. They were not rich, neither were they abjectly poor. The labor of more than half of them was in the open air. Forty-five per cent. were farmers, 5 per cent. lumbermen. The Press remarks in passing that no list yet made of centenarians in Europe or America includes any journalists. They do not get into the air and sunshine enough to keep a cat alive.

The Press' old people are mentioned particularly as having pleasant tempers. Nearly all of them go to bed at 9 o'clock, and have done so all their lives. They rise at 4 and 5. It is a little peculiar that six and seven hours sleep seems enough for most of them. Ninety-five per cent. are of long lived ancestry. Sixty-five per cent. are fair complexioned and 85 per cent. have been married. Neither of these facts proves anything, however, since a majority of all people marry, and a majority of Americans are of fair complexion. Miss Mary Grier is an old maid of 93, yet, in spite of that, "her pleasant temperament has helped her through."

Sixty per cent. have been moderate users of alcohol, and 65 per cent. have used tobacco more or less moderately. Of the pictured faces, the pleasant and even merry expression of most is remarkable. Old Joseph Garrett, nearly 90, says: "Thank God, I dropped politics and got religion at 50." Herein may be a mysterious hint for those who would live long.

Manufactured Fuel Gas.

Engineers and manufacturers from various parts of the country have recently been making pilgrimages to Bellefonte, Pa., to see the only factory of its kind in the United States. It is a plant for the manufacture of fuel gas exclusively.

The company making the gas have a capital of \$6,000,000; their plant turns out 100,000 feet of first class fuel gas every hour. The enterprise is pronounced in all respects a success. It is to be sincerely hoped it will be and that here is the release of hundreds of beautiful western cities from the cloud of grime, smoke and destruction that enshrouds them. To womankind, life is hardly worth living in a city where windows must be cleaned every day, in order to see through them. To be rid of once of the triple nuisance of smoke, coal and ashes in a home would be like a strip of elysium. That is what we shall come to in all our cities eventually.

The worst trouble is that two sets of gas pipes will be required for every household, if two kinds of gas are to be used—one for fuel, the other for illumination. If there were tunnels under American city streets, as in Paris, there would be room for all the pipes, but there are not. Probably the best thing to hope for is that gas companies will find a way of making illuminating gas so cheaply that it can be used both for that and for fuel.

The congressional committee appointed to select a site for a gulf navy yard, after a careful survey of the field, recommend that it be located at New Orleans. The spot selected is Algiers, a little out of New Orleans. There is an old government reservation at Algiers, and it is here the committee recommend that the gulf navy yard be established.

Julian Hawthorne, who went to Europe with the Scripps League working people, has returned. It was his first visit to Europe in a number of years. He says the cost of living in London and Paris has grown steadily since he was a young man, till it is nearly as expensive in those cities as in New York.

If you want to earn \$5,000 easy here is the way to do it. Arrest and deliver to the marshal of the District of Columbia the dead or alive body of Craven Edward Silcott, who ran away with our congressmen's money.

On the tones of the whispering lute it is softly wafted to the public ear that le brav Gen. Boulanger wants to leave his isle and come to America to lecture in order to get away from the lady he is in love with.

The breeding of fast trotters and pacers, peculiarly an American industry, is assuming large proportions. There are now in the Union nearly 5,000 horses that can trot or pace their mile in 2:30 or less time.

The epidemic of influenza, starting in Russia, has progressed westward so rapidly that it is now in London, and has even crossed the Atlantic to New York. Prepare to sneeze.

Chauncey M. Depew has given to the newspaper reporter a neat name. It is, "Historian of the hour."

Financial reports announce that sugar is feverish. It ought to be. It has been a cold day for people who have to buy it now for a good while.

Matthew Marshall, the able financial writer of The New York Sun, says: "Skill and honest hard work is the only means of really making money."

That was a bad break made by a certain society of ladies who addressed a petition to "Mrs. President Harrison." The proper designation for our chief executive officer and his wife is—"The President of the United States and Mrs. Harrison." The petition should have been addressed simply to Mrs. Harrison.

There seems to be one man who has not a friend in the world. It is Burke, sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Dr. Cronin. Friends and relatives of the other prisoners crowded around them to offer such comfort as they might. To Burke alone came nobody, nor did a soul visit him in prison after sentence was passed. Even for a convicted murderer this seems hard.

Emin Pasha's right name is plain Edward Schnitzer. He was an honest German who put on no airs before he went to Egypt, embraced Mohammedanism, became Emin Pasha, and they say took also Moslem wives according to the custom of other followers of the prophet. He is of Hebrew extraction. In going back to Orientalism, perhaps he has only yielded to an inherited strain of blood.

The man who has overdrawn his salary is not usually in luck, but those congressmen who did so are certainly the fortunate men this time. The careful ones who allowed their pay to remain in the treasury till the opening of congress are the ones that got left. Less horse racing and more bookkeeping will probably be included in the duties of the office of the sergeant-at-arms of the house hereafter.

Death or Doctors.

A young woman died recently in Brooklyn who was a believer in the faith cure. She refused to take the medicine the doctor left, saying the lord was her physician. She had quick consumption and died in a few weeks. The health commissioner declined to grant a burial certificate until the coroner investigated the case.

Numerous instances are on record of this kind, in which the patient preferred to trust to the Lord rather than the doctors, and so came to his grave from consumption, diphtheria or typhoid fever. In several of these cases the friends of the deceased have been arrested and punished by law for cruelty to children, manslaughter, or some charge of that kind. Evidently the plain inference in the popular mind was that if the deceased had trusted to the doctors instead of to the Lord he would still be alive and pursuing his usual vocations on this blessed ball in robust health.

Now, on the face of it, if a full grown person in his right mind prefers to die rather than take doctors' stuffs, why should he not be allowed to depart in peace? Is it not a free country? There is always the chance, and that not a small one, that he would have died anyhow, especially if he had consumption, diphtheria or typhoid fever.

Particularly is it not rather rough on his surviving relatives that they should be arrested for manslaughter on account of their deceased kinsman's faith in the Lord?

Glorious Progress.

Certainly the boom is on in the south. Among the colossal fortunes to be reaped by enterprise and industry in this country in the coming quarter century probably half will be in the southern states.

The nine years since 1880 form the period of the south's greatest prosperity. Mining, manufactures and varied agriculture are the basis of an industrial progress which far exceeds that of either north or west in the same time. The south now largely manufactures her own cotton into cloth, and thus keeps the money at home. The south used to pay out large sums of money annually for iron. Instead of that, she now has iron to sell. Even her early fruit and vegetable trade now amounts to \$50,000,000 a year. Between north and south there seems to be almost a complete reversal of the currents of trade.

In 1880 the south had 220 national banks. She now has 472. In 1879 her live stock was worth \$391,400,000. Today its value is \$569,100,000. Deposits in the national banks increased 39 per cent. in the north from 1880 to 1889; in the south, 116 per cent. In that section 14,000 new manufacturing enterprises have been founded in the past four years. Since 1880 southern railroads have increased nearly 21,000 miles. On new and old railway lines more than \$800,000,000 have been spent. In the same time her property valuation has increased \$3,000,000,000.

Let us give a few more of these fascinating figures. In 1880 something over 6,000,000 tons of coal were taken from southern mines; in 1888, more than 18,000,000. In 1880 the south made 397,301 tons of pig iron. In 1889 the amount will be not less than 1,600,000 tons. The number of cotton mills shows a gain of over 300 per cent.; of cottonseed oil mills, over 500 per cent.

Whittier.

John Greenleaf Whittier was 82 years old Dec. 17. He is our oldest living literary man of distinction, except George Bancroft, who was born in 1800. His 83d year finds the beloved Quaker poet in good health for so old a man, but feeble and somewhat deaf. His eyesight is slowly failing him, too, but he is still straight as an arrow. He is now engaged on what will almost certainly be his last long poem. It deals with the discovery of America by Columbus. If ever finished it will be the ode that celebrates the opening of our World's fair in 1892. But he works slowly. He has finished no more than half a dozen stanzas, and can only work half an hour at a time.

Beyond price to his countrymen will be the Columbus ode, if he lives to finish it. He has always been interested in politics, and has held political office to the extent of being a member of the school board of Amesbury, Mass., his home. He is delighted with the Australian ballot system recently adopted in Massachusetts. He never fails to vote.

Whittier is a bachelor. The only sweetheart he ever had died in early girlhood. It was the child who spelled him down and went above him in the class, as mentioned in his poem. He says of himself: I am grateful to the divine Providence, and I tranquilly wait the close of a life which has been longer and, on the whole, happier than I had reason to expect, although far different from that which I dreamed of in my youth.

Remarkable Surgery.

To a New York hospital was brought lately a little lad of 6 years, suffering from epilepsy. A hurt to his head a year or two before was believed to be the cause. He was put into one of the wards, his faithful nurse with him, and carefully watched. For some time he remained. Every convulsion was noted. It was set down in a book how the attacks seized him, which way he threw up his arms, which way he tossed his head, which part of his body stiffened and became helpless under the paroxysms.

The surgeon in attendance decided, from a study of these notes, that the injury to the child's head had caused a lesion in a certain part of the brain, and that was the source of the epilepsy. He located to his own satisfaction the spot where the brain lesion existed.

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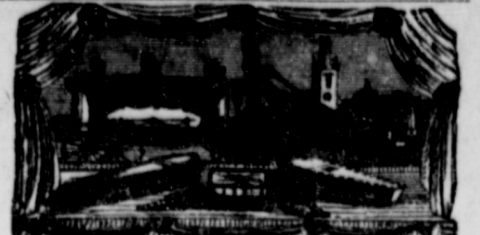
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